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JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, February 4, 1894.

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For the Hongkong and Shanghai  
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Hongkong, May 15, 1893.

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Hongkong, March 1, 1894.

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THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN,  
AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

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CHARTREY INCHELD,

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Hongkong, November 6, 1893.

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THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,  
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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

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Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %

Hongkong, May 24, 1893.

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INCUBATIONS.



GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS for SPECIE, Mexican Dollars, current in this Colony, and weighing 7.17, in Exchange for STERLING BILLS, drawn at 10 days' sight, on the Lords Commissioners of HER MAJESTY'S TREASURY, LONDON, will be RECEIVED by the CHIEF PAYMASTER, Army Pay Department, until 10.30 a.m. on TUESDAY, the 10th April, 1894.

The Tenderer is to state the Total Amount required in the form of Sterling Bills, and the amount for which each Bill should be drawn, but no Bills will be issued for sums less than £100.

The Tenderer is to be in Duplicate, and in Sealed Covers, addressed to the Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department, and endorsed "Tenders for Government Bills."

The right to accept or reject any or all of the Tenders is reserved.

WILLIAM L. BARKER,  
Chief Paymaster, China.

HIS MAJESTY'S TREASURY OFFICE,  
Queen's Road.

Hongkong, 5th April, 1894.

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Julius Kramer,

# THE CHINA MAIL.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1894.

## Mails.

**U. S. Mail Line.**  
**PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SALINGS FROM HONGKONG.

City of Rio de Janeiro, Thursday, April 12, at daylight.  
Kobe, Inland Sea, and Yokohama, ...

City of Peking (via Nagasaki), Thursday, May 3, Inland Sea, and Yokohama, ... at 1 p.m.

China (via Nagasaki), Tuesday, May 15, Kobe, Inland Sea, and Yokohama, ... at 1 p.m.

The U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 12th April, at Daylight, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

First Class Passengers have full choice of the Overland Routes, including CENTRAL PACIFIC, SOUTHERN PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, NORTH PACIFIC, and DENVER and RIO GRANDE RAILWAYS. They can also travel over the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, on payment of \$10 in addition to the regular tariff rate.

Particulars of the various routes can be had on application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Indian Oceans of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Bright will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcels will be received at the office until 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

General Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, to the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 1, Praya Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN  
Agent.

Hongkong, March 24, 1894.

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**Occidental & Oriental Steamship Company.**

**TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.**

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SALINGS FROM HONGKONG.

City of Nagasaki, Wednesday, April 25, at daylight.

City of Yokohama, Thursday, May 24, at 1 p.m.

Oceanic (via Nagasaki), Tuesday, June 12, at 1 p.m.

The Steamer GABRIEL will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th April, at Daylight, connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes may be obtained upon application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passengers who have paid full fare, embarking at San Francisco, for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to passage from China and Japan to Europe.

All Passage Tickets should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 1, Praya Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN  
Agent.

Hongkong, April 4, 1894.

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**PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

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City of Rio de Janeiro, Thursday, April 12, at daylight.  
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China (via Nagasaki), Tuesday, May 15, Kobe, Inland Sea, and Yokohama, ... at 1 p.m.

The Steamer RORILLA, Captain W. J. NANTZ, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the 12th April, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Port. (This Steamer connects at Bombay with the S. S. HIMALAYA, which Vessel takes her Cargo for LONDON, via SUEZ CANAL, leaving that port on the 5th MAY, 1894.)

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are cordially invited to attend.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

H. H. JOSEPH,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 30, 1894.

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## NOTICE.

### COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

### PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

### STEAM FOR

### SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

### COLOMBO, ADEN, SUZÉ,

### PORT SAID,

### MEDITERRANEAN AND

### BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA,

### MARSEILLE, LONDON,

### HAVRE AND BORDEAUX;

### ALSO

### PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

### FOR SHANGHAI.

### The Steamship

### FORMOSA,

### Captain HAN,

### will be despatched for the above

### Ports TO-MORROW, the 7th Instant, at

### Noon, and not as previously notified.

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### FOR FREIGHT OR PASSENGERS, APPLY TO

### DOUGLAS LARPAIK & CO.,

### General Managers.

### Hongkong, April 6, 1894.

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### NOTICE.

### DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

### LIMITED.

### FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

### The Co.'s Steamship

### GODFRED,

### Captain GODFRED,

### will be despatched for the above

### Ports on SUNDAY, the 8th Instant, at

### Daylight.

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### FOR FREIGHT OR PASSENGERS, APPLY TO

### DODWELL, CARLILL & CO.,

### Agents.

### Hongkong, April 6, 1894.

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## THE CHINA MAIL.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## PAINTED SUN CANAL.

OUTWARD BOUND.—*Bathurston*, Feb. 16; *Woolwich*, 23; *Stratford*, *Vindobona*, March 3; *Codicote*, *Maple Branch*, 9; *Woolwich*, *Portsmouth*, *Aberdulais*, 8; *Anger*, 13; *Ulysses*, 20; *Admiral*, 20; *Bentley*, *Hadnorshire*, *Japan*, *Natal*, *Palamed*, *Bushmills*, *Sabatoga*, *Gisela*, 27.

HOMEWARD BOUND.—*Stentor*, *Finsbury*, March 2; *Bulldmouth*, 16; *Aigas*, 29; *Poseidon*, *Brixton*, *Glenavon*, *Kennedy*, 27.

The P. & O. s.s. *Suret*, with the *EMBASSY MAIL* of March 9, left Singapore on Monday, April 2, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, April 8 at 8 a.m. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Feb. 1.

The N. L. Co.'s s.s. *Sachsen*, with the *GERMAN MAIL* of March 12, left Singapore on Thursday, April 5, at 8 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, April 10.

The O. & O. s.s. *Gaelic*, with the *AMERICAN MAIL* of Mar. 20, leaves Yokohama on Saturday, April 7, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, April 12.

The P. M. s.s. *City of Sydney*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on March 29.

The G. P. R. s.s. *Empress of India* left Vancouver for Hongkong on April 3. The P. M. extra steamer *City of Sydney*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on April 4.

The N. P. s.s. *Tacoma* sailed from Victoria, B.C., for Japan and Hongkong on the morning of the 5th April.

The Ben Line s.s. *Benjamins*, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore for this port on April 4, and may be expected here on or about April 10.

The D. D. R. s.s. *Concord*, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on April 4th, and may be expected here on or about April 11.

The G. Line steamship *Glenfruin*, from London and Straits, left Singapore on April 5, and may be expected here on or about April 11.

The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. *Vindobona* has left Singapore for this port.

The Ben Line steamer *Benjamins*, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore for this port on the 4th inst.

Owing to the overcast state of the sky there has been no local observation of the eclipse of the sun.

The s.s. *Glenfruin*, from London and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Thursday evening, the 5th inst.

The Chinese cruisers *Tung Fuan*, *Chi Yuen*, *Chin Yuen*, *King Yuen*, and *Loi Yuen* left to-day for Shanghai.

The P. M. extra steamer *City of Sydney*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on April 4.

The N. P. s.s. *Tacoma* sailed from Victoria, B.C., for Japan and Hongkong yesterday morning. The silk ex *Tacoma* was delivered in New York on the 4th inst.

The O. & O. s.s. *Gäste*, with the American mail to March 20, has arrived at Yokohama and leaves for this port to-morrow morning.

Mr C. F. A. Gangster was sworn in as Acting Registrar of the Supreme Court and Mr F. A. Baseland as Acting Deputy Registrar, on Wednesday last.

The Hongkong Polo Club hold their usual Sky Races at the Happy Valley to-morrow. The programme of events is an interesting one, and we understand that a good number of entries have been received by the Hon. Secretary, Mr F. H. May.

This morning at the Magistracy, Mr H. E. Wodehouse resumed consideration of the charge brought against the Opium Farmer, of moving four chests of Patna opium during prohibited hours. Mr J. J. Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mr H. L. Denny, appeared on behalf of the accused. The charge was brought under Section 8 of Ordinance 22 of 1891. His Worship dismissed the charge, holding that the section of the Ordinance was not applicable to the Opium Farm.

Social functions in Hongkong have now apparently become sufficiently important to be recorded in the "Society" papers at home. Here is what appears in the issue of the "World" which came to hand by last mail:—From Hongkong, dated January 23rd:—"We are approaching the end of our winter season, but it is dying hard. Many guests have been crammed into this month in consequence of the new approach of Lent. A most successful and enjoyable dance was given at Government House last week for Sir William and Lady Robinson. All turned out in their smartest frocks and looked their best. Lady Robinson wore a beautiful dress, of which the prevailing colours were sea-green and pink, and a lovely lace of diamonds; and among the most noticeable present were Mrs Mitchell-Jones, Mrs Toms, the Misses Hancock, Admiral and Lady Fremantle, and General and Mrs Barker. The foot was in excellent order, and the hand of the 1st Shropshire left nothing to be desired; dancing was kept up with much spirit till long after midnight, and the supper was excellent. On the 30th, Admiral Fremantle and the officers of the Imperials will entertain us, and we are all looking forward eagerly to the dance, which is sure to be good. Another big ball at Government House takes place on February 6th. The whole of the China Squadron seems to be collected in the harbour at the present moment, and looks very imposing."

What about opium eating?—As regards that, there was the greatest possible contrast of testimony. If you simply count heads, no doubt the majority was very greatly against us; but the reasons I have already stated sufficiently account for that. Some of the stronger races of India seem to be able to resist the effects of opium much better than others; for instance, the Sikhs and the Rajputs. On the other hand, the Indians suffer exceedingly from the effects of opium. They have extremely little control, and as regards them the necessity for prohibition

## TENNIS.

LADIES' INFORMATION CLUB v. CRICKET CLUB.  
A match was played at the Cricket Ground yesterday between teams representing the Ladies' Recreation Club and the Cricket Club. The players were—For the Ladies' Recreation Club—Messrs S. G. Bird and Anderson, Messrs Platt and Perry, Messrs Hawkins and Meaden. For the Cricket Club—Messrs Potts and F. Maitland, Messrs Kinn and Slade, Messrs Murray and C. M. Firth. It was expected that the ladies' representatives would win the match, but the Cricket Club was successful by 13 sets to 5—99 games to 69. There was a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen, who watched the play with the keenest interest. During the afternoon music was discontinued by the band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infantry under the leadership of Bandmaster Murphy.

The result of the play was as follows:—

Point	Score
First Bird and Anderson	12 games to 8
Second Bird and Anderson	10 games to 7
Third Bird and Anderson	9 games to 6
Fourth Bird and Anderson	12 games to 8
Fifth Bird and Anderson	11 games to 7
Sixth Bird and Anderson	12 games to 11
Seventh Bird and Anderson	12 games to 5
Eighth Bird and Anderson	11 games to 7
Ninth Bird and Anderson	12 games to 2
Tenth Bird and Perry	18 games to 11
Eleventh Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twelfth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Thirteenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Fourteenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Fifteenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Sixteenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Seventeenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Eighteenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Nineteenth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-first Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-second Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-third Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-fourth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-fifth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-sixth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-seventh Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
Twenty-eighth Bird and Perry	12 games to 5
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THIS Review, which was intended to meet the wants of many students of Chinese caused by the discontinuance of "Notes and Queries on China and Japan," has reached its Twenty-first Volume. The Review discusses those topics which are uppermost in the minds of students of the Far East and about which every intelligent person connected with China or Japan is desirous of acquiring trustworthy information. It includes many interesting Notes and original Papers on the Arts, Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Natural History, Antiquities, and Social Manners and Customs, etc., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, and the Far East generally. Recently it now purports to be a monthly, and the Review now gives papers on Trade, Commerce, and Descriptive notes of Travel by well-known writers. It was thought that by extending the scope of the Review in this direction, the Magazine would be made more generally useful.

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The China Review for September-October fully maintains the high standard of excellence which characterizes that publication, and altogether forms a very interesting and valuable number. Meteorologists will find it very interesting and valuable contribution by Dr. Fritzsch on "the Amount of Precipitation (Rain and Snow) of Peking," showing the results of observations made at the Imperial Russian Observatory at Peking, from 1841 to 1880. "Notes on the Dutch Occupation of Formosa," by Mr. George Phillips, contains some interesting information, although much of it is second-hand. The Notices of New Books include a most generous and appreciative review of "The Divine Classics of Nan-Hua," and the Notes and Queries are as usual very interesting.—*North-China Daily News.*

A substantial and reliable Review which all students of China and the Chinese would do well to peruse.—*Urquhartian.*

"The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are interesting. The one on the New Testament in Chinese" treats of a question that must necessarily be of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries."—Mr. E. H. Parker's "Short Journey in Szechuan" is a short notice of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number."—*H.K. Daily Press.*

The "Traveller's Oriental Record" contains the following notice of the China Review: "The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is destined to occupy a position in regard to China and its neighbors which is somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the *Calcutta Review*. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now unusually cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review, by papers highly creditable to their respective authors."

Some translations from Chinese novels and plays, and a number of notices of the Chinese book-trade of the eleventh century, *Shu Fang-p'o*, by Mr. E. H. Parker, are also included in the number.

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